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P/61827-PCTTRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES  
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)  
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

10/048108

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.  
PCT/GB00/02944INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE  
July 31, 2000PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED  
July 29, 1999TITLE OF INVENTION    **PIEZO-ELECTRIC TAG**APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US    **Ian James FORSTER**

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
4. ☐ The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
  - a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - b. ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☐ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
  - a. ☐ is attached hereto.
  - b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
  - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - c. ☒ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
  - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

**Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:**

11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
15. ☐ A substitute specification.
16. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
17. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.
18. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
19. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20. ☒ Other items or information: **Receipt Acknowledgment Postcard**

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| 21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:  |              |                               |            | CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY |    |
| BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) - (5)) :  |              |                               |            |                           |    |
| Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO .....  |              |                               |            | \$1,040.00                |    |
| International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO or JPO .....  |              |                               |            | \$890.00                  |    |
| International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO .....   |              |                               |            | \$740.00                  |    |
| International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) .....  |              |                               |            | \$710.00                  |    |
| International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) .....  |              |                               |            | \$100.00                  |    |
| ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =   |              |                               |            | \$890.00                  |    |
| Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (e)). <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30   |              |                               |            | \$0.00                    |    |
| CLAIMS   | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA                  | RATE       | \$                        |    |
| Total claims   | 27 - 20 =    | 7                             | x \$18.00  | \$126.00                  |    |
| Independent claims   | 3 - 3 =      | 0                             | x \$84.00  | \$0.00                    |    |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)  |              |                               | + \$280.00 | \$0.00                    |    |
| TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =  |              |                               |            | \$1,016.00                |    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.   |              |                               |            | \$0.00                    |    |
| SUBTOTAL =   |              |                               |            | \$1,016.00                |    |
| Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30   |              |                               |            | \$0.00                    |    |
| TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =   |              |                               |            | \$1,016.00                |    |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +  |              |                               |            | \$0.00                    |    |
| TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =  |              |                               |            | \$1,016.00                |    |
|  |              |                               |            | Amount to be refunded:    | \$ |
|  |              |                               |            | charged:                  | \$ |
| a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$1,016.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.  |              |                               |            |                           |    |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  |              |                               |            |                           |    |
| c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1145. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.                            |              |                               |            |                           |    |
| NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.   |              |                               |            |                           |    |
| SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:  |              |                               |            |                           |    |
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| I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail No. EL 337 911 913 US in an envelope addressed to: Box: PCT, Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20531, on: January 25, 2002 (date) |              |                               |            |                           |    |
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